Research on Partial Label Learning

Partial label learning (PLL) is one of the important weakly-supervised learning frameworks. Under the partial label learning framework, each example is associated with multiple candidate labels among which only one is valid. Partial label learning techniques have been widely used in many scenarios including automatic multimedia content annotation, natural language processing, ecoinformatics, etc. In this talk, the state-of-the-art on partial label learning will be introduced from three aspects. Firstly, the problem setting of partial label learning and its relationships to other weakly-supervised learning frameworks are briefly discussed. Secondly, existing works as well as our recent progresses on designing partial label learning algorithms are summarized. Thirdly, related academic resources on partial label learning are given.

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